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Reference Department's A-47 July 14, FCN Treaty Reservation.

Foreign Office greatly disappointed Senate reservation and fears "precedent" established similar Diet action professions, banking, other business activities, purchase outstanding shares, other issues discussed final negotiations. Foreign Office already drafting parallel reservation professions clause which it expects United States accept on basis reciprocity. Possible Japanese reservations make Diet action problematical prior adjournment, but Foreign Office still hopeful early ratification. Treaty currently in committee both Houses.

Suggest government be informed reservation officially without delay to assist Foreign Office expedite Diet action. Embassy informally advised Foreign Office of text reservation contained reference airgram. Foreign Office raises questions final clause Most-Favored-Nation, which Embassy frankly at loss explain. This appears discriminatory new treaties. If parallel Japanese reservation forthcoming discrimination against American lawyers, doctors, teachers, others may result.

Embassy will appreciate earliest telegraphic comments this clause.

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